## argest Black Sororities For Empowerment

Atlanta -- For the first time, representatives of the nation's four largest predominately black sororities will meet to map strategies for exercising more political power. The Black Women's Political Action Forum takes place October 30-November 1 in Atlanta at the Hyatt Regency Peachtree Center.

The Forum is sponsored by Alpha Kappa Alpha, Delta Sigma Theta, Sigma Gamma Rho and Zeta Phi Beta sororities, which together represent nearly 400,000 undergraduate and graduate members worldwide.

Organizers say the Forum will provide a political action platform ased on issues critical to the survival of black women and black families, and lead to a model political action plan and training guide that can be used at local, state and

Sample Ballots

**Are Available** 

Sample Ballots for the November 3rd County-wide and Munic-

ipal Elections are now available at locations throughout Mecklenburg County. This Sample Ballot, containing eight County Bond ques-

tions, a County-wide School Board

Election for one seat, Candidates for Mayor and City Council in

Charlotte and five City Bond ques-

tions are available at :
(1) All branches of the Public

Library inside the city limits of

Charlotte;
(2) Branches of Mechanics and
Farmers Bank; and
(3) Elections Office, 741 Kenil-

worth Avenue, Suite 202.
Sample Ballots containing the leight County Bond questions, the County-wide School Board Elec-

tion for one seat and the Candidates for Mayor and Town Coun-

cil in the six Municipalities; Corne-

lius, Davidson, Huntersville, Mat-

thews, Mint Hill and Pineville are

available at: (1) The Branch Library in each Municipality; (2) Town Hall in each Municipality.

The Board of Elections urges citi-

zens to study a Sample Ballot before Election Day in order to speed

the voting process. If you have

questions concerning the Novem-

ber 3rd County-wide or Municipal Election, please call the Election Office at 336-2133.



Nationally known speakers include former congresswoman

Yvonne Braithwaite Burke, for-mer HUD assistant secretary Dr. Gloria Toote, NAACP official Althea Simmons, National Education Association president Mary Hatwood Futrell and Shirley Dennis, director of the U.S. Department of Labor's Women's Bureau. Workshop topics include: getting out the vote, fundraising, political empowerment, encouraging women to run (and getting women elected).



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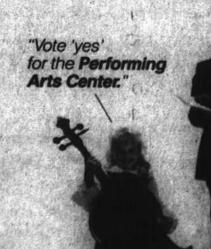
"Vote 'yes' for our county buildings."

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"Vote 'yes' for water and sewer services."







"Vote 'yes'



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## ECKLENBURG COUNTY BONDS

School Bonds-\$31,100,000. For new schools, dditions, renovations, maintenance facility, air

Solid Waste Disposal Facilities Bonds— \$10,000,000. For landfill development to meet State and Federal guidelines.

Parks and Recreational Facilities Bonds-\$8,000,000. For land acquisition, swimming pool construction at one high school.

Building Bonds—\$7,175,000. For expansion, remodeling, land acquisition. Flood Control Facilities Bonds—\$5,000,000.

For construction of drainage projects. Community College Bonds (CPCC)—\$4,000,000. For an Occupational Skills Center, Area Learning Center.

Telecommunications Facilities Bonds (WTVI)— \$3,100,000. For studio expansion and remodeling. Library Bonds—\$2,910,000. For a new south regional branch.

Total: \$71,285,000

AnImportant Reminder.

When you vote on November 3, the ballot will list the bonds separately, as required by law. To vote "yes for all the bonds, you'll need to take the few extra seconds to pull the lever for each bond in order to make your vote count.

# CITY OF CHARLOTTE BONDS

Street Improvement Bonds—\$46,000,000. For street widening, alignment, sidewalks, City funding of state roads, business corridor revitalization. Cultural Facilities Bonds—\$15,000,000. For the City's portion of a new Performing Arts Center. Sanitary Sewer Bonds-\$14,800,000. For new

sewers to redirect growth to the northeast and northwest, wastewater treatment plant additions.

Water Bonds—\$13,675,000. For new mains to redirect growth to the northeast and northwest, improve service in the southeast.

Parks and Recreational Facilities Bonds-\$12,500,000. For further development of existing parks, land acquisition for new parks. Total: \$101,975,000